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**REFERENDUM VOTE
ON SUNDAY BALL IS
PROPOSED IN BILL****Local Option for the Sport
Is Intended for Mill
Districts.****WOULD LET THE VOTERS DECIDE****"Dry" Lose Confidence and Chances
of Adverse Liquor Legislation Going
Through at This Session are De-
clined; A New Labor Bill**

Special to The Courier.
HARRISBURG, Feb. 15.—Since the bill introduced in the House of Representatives by Representative James H. Whitcomb providing for Sunday baseball games between the hours of 3 and 6 o'clock in the afternoon was negated by the Law and Order Committee there has been prepared a bill which gives boroughs, towns, townships and wards the right to vote on whether baseball games shall be allowed on Sunday. The baseball local option bill will be presented in the House next week and it is expected to be supported by not only the advocates of Sunday baseball but the 30 or 40 members who are supporting the local option liquor measures. The bill will probably be introduced by a member from the western part of the State.

The measure provides that when the returns of the votes cast at the municipal election show that the majority of the voters are favorable to playing baseball on Sunday, it shall be lawful for the games to be played until at a later municipal election, no sooner than the third municipal election following the taking of the vote, the voters shall record a majority vote against permitting baseball games to be played on Sunday.

The bill comes from the western part of the State and is to be presented at the solicitation of a number of industrial baseball leagues in the bituminous coal fields and in the steel towns about Pittsburgh.

Although the Anti-Saloon League is apparently working hard for the passage of a local option bill in the House of Representatives, little hope is entertained by the officers and followers of the temperance measure. Representative C. M. C. Campbell, Allegheny county, a member of the Law and Order Committee and a local optionist, expressed himself today that the local option bill would not receive more than 40 votes in the House. This is the lowest figure that has ever been given out by any supporter of the Anti-Saloon League measure.

When Rev. C. W. Carroll, State Superintendent of the day, has been asked on several occasions as to the number of votes the local option bill would have in the House, he has invariably made the reply, "The liquor people are giving us credit for 30 votes."

Providing for the creation of a State Department of Labor and Industry, advocated in Governor Tener's message to the Legislature, a bill soon make its appearance in the House of Representatives. The measure is now being drafted and will be completed probably in time for its introduction in the House. The bill will give into the supervision of the new department the power to enforce the laws of the State affecting labor and to gather statistics for the purpose of framing in the future laws which would prove beneficial both to the labor element and to the employer. The proposed legislation will combine the present Department of Factory Inspection and the Bureau of Industrial Statistics.

SPIKED BELTS FOR DANCERS

Spokane Society Matron Provides
Armor When Orchestra Plays Rags.
SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 15.—William U. Morris, leader of the orchestra of the Spokane-Review, "started" something which somebody else "finished" when he put out a cartoon suggesting that girls were spiked belts to prevent "ragging" at dances. Two days later Mrs. Elma T. Hunt gave a dancing party in Carr's auditorium. She had provided a number of leather belts, pierced with 20-penny nails.

To show that she meant business Mrs. Hunt ordered the orchestra to play the "raggiest" piece in stock, then announcing that girls who insisted on dancing after the too-popular fashion must don the belts. The announcement proved to be as the rule to the bill. The outwaded dancing became general, and Mrs. Hunt fitted every girl in the party with a belt.

An enterprising newspaper photographer arrived on the scene, and the Morris anti-ragging device is now the topic of the hour.

Case Is Not Reached.
Up to 2 o'clock this afternoon the hearing in the case of Mrs. Catherine Kerr of Connellsville to recover possession of her child, which she claims is held by Albert H. Kerr, the husband, and Mrs. Edith Kerr, had not been called. The witnesses are in Uniontown today.

Malter Returns Home.
Samuel Malter, whose disappearance Thursday night caused his guardian, O. S. Skidmore, considerable anxiety, returned home yesterday afternoon. The youth had spent the evening about town with a number of companions and had not informed Mr. Skidmore of his intention.

**WESTERN MARYLAND TO BE
DOUBLE TRACKED IS RUMOR****Trains Already Too Heavy for Line and
Business Is Jeopardized If O.
Plans Expenditures.**

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad will expend between ten and twenty millions of dollars for railroad improvements in Somerset county this year. The bulk of this big sum has been appropriated for Somerset & Cambria division improvements. It is reported. The main feature of the Somerset & Cambria plans will be the double-tracking of this important coal carrying division between Rockwood and Somerset and probably its extension on to Johnstown via Duwelle, Jenner and Jenner.

This improvement would afford a through line for exclusive coal traffic operations and the present track for passenger service. Better transporting facilities are needed to relieve congested traffic, which is almost monthly becoming more apparent, because of the rapid development of new fields along the Somerset & Cambria division.

While these important Baltimore & Ohio improvements are under way the Western Maryland railroad will likely be busy. Freight traffic is proving to be too heavy for its single-track system between Connellsville and Sand Patch, from which station the road is double-tracked into Cumberland.

The Western Maryland was obliged several months ago to decline an offer of 10,000 cars of through freight monthly because it found itself handicapped in handling its own rapidly expanding trade.

In view of this assurance of big business the Western Maryland will make haste to complete its double-tracking program and bulk out its earnings with the traffic proffered by other roads.

**FAST EXPRESS TRAIN IS
DERAILED AT MEYERSDALE****Going at Slow Speed, Which Prevents
Serious Injuries to Passengers and
One Car Off Tracks.****Special to The Courier.**

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 15.—Baltimore & Ohio train No. 47, due here about 3:25 A. M., derailed not to stop at this point, but a narrow escape from one of the worst wrecks for some time, when, yesterday morning, the rigging that supports the front end of the engine of the engine fell down, derailing the locomotive and an express car next to the engine.

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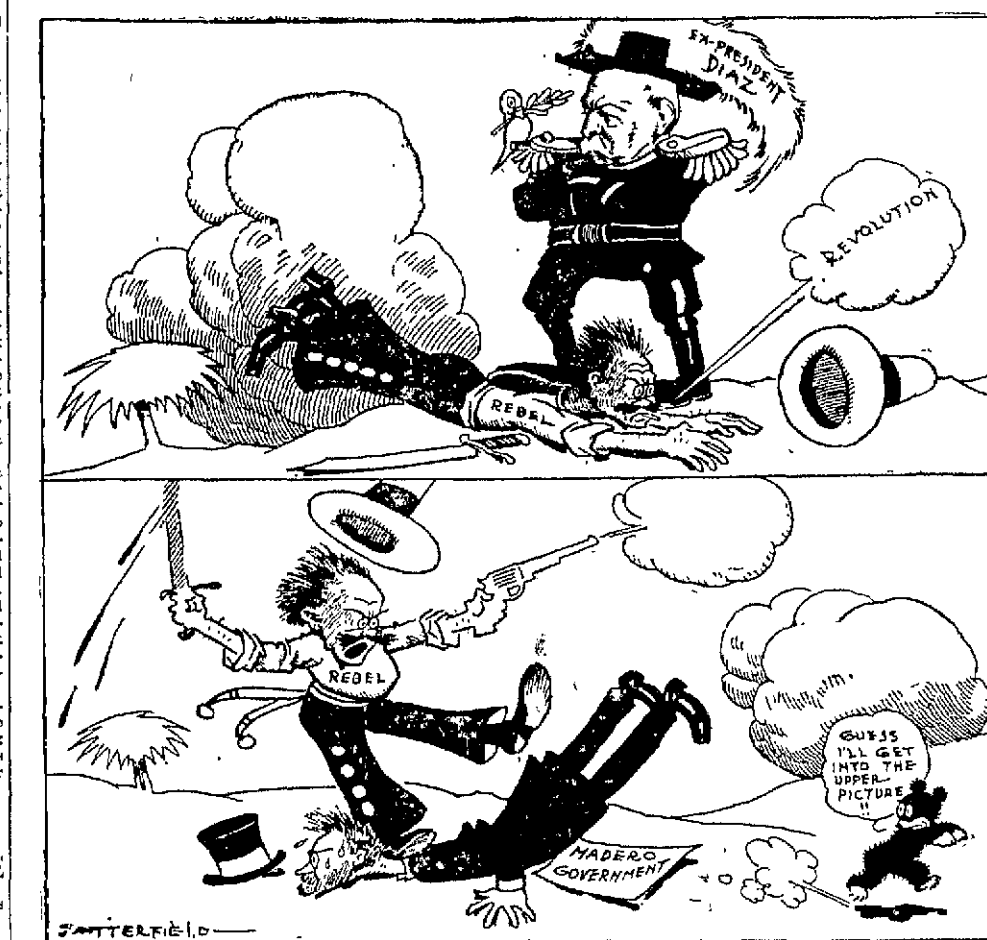
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"Dictators," Past and Present.**MADERO REFUSES TO
GET OUT; WILL DIE
FIRST, HE DECLARES****Ministers Use Every Effort
to Force His Retirement
but Fail.****REBELS LOOT HIS RESIDENCE****Fighting Is Renewed Following His
Report That President Diaz Abdi-
cated; Washington Prepares to
Land Marines From Four Warships.**

United Press Telegram.
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 15.—"I will die rather than resign," said President Madero's reply to the advisers and leaders of the Mexican Senate who spent the night of last night trying to induce him to give up his position as leader and consent to the election of a new President.

New pressure will be brought to bear on Madero today as an attempt to get him to give up his office voluntarily. Senators and cabinet ministers, desirous of ending the war, were preparing to make a last-minute appeal to Madero as soon as they could obtain an audience with him. There was small hope, however, that he could be induced to give in.

The fighting was started by the Federalists at 10:30 last night after a report that Madero had resigned had been widely circulated, waged and interrupted until 4:30 this morning. It is claimed that the report of Madero's resignation was spread in order to throw Diaz off his guard. Diaz was alert, however, and returned the fire of the attacking Federalists with great damage. Rebels in night burn and looted Madero's private residence.

Secretary of War Dickinson was called to the capital today to appear before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. It is said that he will be called upon to explain to the members the present trouble in Mexico.

Two thousand American marines are aboard American ships in Mexican waters ready to go ashore at the first sign of injury to American or other foreign property. Ambassador Wilson has been given permission to summon the marines to Mexico City to guard American interests.

**ENGLISH MAGNATE
SAILS; HE BUYS
NO COAL IN U. S.****Head of Big Foreign Com-
pany Is Well Pleased With
Outlook Here.****COMMENTS UPON HIS WELCOME****Marvels That He Is Not Regarded as
a Competitor by Coal Operators and
Then Enthusiastic Harbors; May
Decide to Buy Coal at the Piers.**

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—D. A. Thomas, the well known English coal operator, who has been in America investigating coal conditions, before sailing from New York for England on Wednesday, gave to The Black Diamond an interview about some of his impressions gained from his American trip. "You can count on seeing me again," he said, "but I can't say how soon. I made no coal purchases while here but was greatly impressed with what I saw. What pleases me most is that your prominent coal men do not look upon my entering the field over here in the way of an invasion. They tell me they feel I will be an aid to them and I believe they are sincere."

Mr. Thomas said that what interested him most about the coal loading ports that he inspected at Hampton Roads was the quick dispatch that is given ships that call for cargoes. He praised the natural harbors, which permit of ships coming in and going out without waiting for tides. Where in England they have to spend four days to build docks, here nature provides the harbor, but the structure. The largest ships load cargoes at American ports in a half day. At Cardiff, they are lucky if they get a cargo and clear within a week.

Mr. Thomas was impressed with the natural resources found in the coal regions, which explained to him why an American miner gets out three times the tonnage of a Welsh miner. Mr. Thomas said many profitable propositions had been brought to his attention which would receive careful investigation. He said that he sold some operators who were pressing him to learn what he was doing regarding purchasing mines, that due to the large number of operations and the competition between producers that it might be a wiser plan for him to wait and buy his coal at the piers than to produce it.

By-Product Plant.
Sensit-Solway Company Considers
Building One at Ironton.

The Sensit-Solway Company, of Syracuse, N. Y., is understood to be negotiating with the Pennsylvania Coal Company, of Ironton, Pa., for the construction of a by-product coke plant at that place for supplying coke in the immediate vicinity. The same interests are now building a plant at Ashland, Ky.

According to the same report, about \$1,000,000 will be invested in the new plant if it is built, and about 100 by-product ovens would be included.

Begin Removing Steeples.
Workmen today began removing the steeples of the First Methodist Episcopal church.

**POLICE RAID AN ALLEGED
GAMBLING HOUSE; GET NINE****Chief Hetzel and State Cops Find
Them Shooting Crap on Arch
Street.**

Chief of Police George Hetzel and a detail of four members of the State Constabulary raided a gambling house at the corner of Arch street and Grape street last night and arrested nine inmates. The alleged proprietor is a colored man named Roy Mayo. The prisoners were taken to City Jail where six of them posted \$500 bonds for their appearance for sentence this morning. The remaining three were fined \$5 each, in default of which they were sentenced to serve 72 hours.

Chief Hetzel had received a number of complaints from residents in the vicinity that the people residing in the Mayo house were making a disturbance, so, shortly after 7 o'clock he and the troops surrounded the house.

After knocking on the door for admittance, three constables passed before one of the men appeared. He was colored and was told to keep quiet so that the other inmates would not be warned. Noise of a several men's loud talking issued from one of the upstairs rooms and the officers quietly ascended. In one of the front bedrooms they discovered eight colored and one white man spread out about in various positions "shooting crap."

Upon discovering the presence of the officers, one of the men who was standing near the only lamp in the room, blew out the flame and the room was plunged in darkness. There was an immediate scramble for the money lying about the floor, and in the resulting turmoil, three of the players attempted to escape. They were found later by Chief Hetzel, hiding in a closet.

The prisoners were taken to City Jail, where they were searched for concealed weapons. The three given a hearing this morning identified themselves as Joseph Tucker of Swanton, John Broadbent of Iowa, and Samuel Gordon of Uniontown. The white man posted a forfeit with the Chief last night but did not make his identity known.

The officers in the raid were Troopers, Rogge, Conrad, Dahner and Sergeant McLaughlin.

**RECEPTION IS HELD AT THE
Y. M. C. A.; 200 ARE THERE****Baked Bean Supper Followed by Pro-
gram of Gymnastics; Business
Men Win.**

More than 200 adults attended the grand bean supper given at the Y. M. C. A. last evening under the direction of Secretary E. T. Baer. The supper was a success, both financially and socially and all had a delightful time.

The principal dish on the menu was beans, which were served in a delicious manner. Pickles, coffee, bread and several delicacies were also served. Following the supper, the guests repaired to the handball court, where they played a game of handball. The Y. M. C. A. The business men won three games straight.

J. K. Kramer, who was on the program to give an exhibition of fancy billiard playing, was unable to be present. Mr. Kramer had been called to Pittsburgh during the day, on account of the illness of a relative.

Pickups for the affair were made up by the members of the Boys' Camp Club, and there was much friendly rivalry between the boys as to the one who would be successful in disposing of the greatest number of tickets. The Paul Baer, son of Secretary Baer, secured the honors, by selling 26 of the pastebonds.

More Trouble Feared
Following Attack, West Virginia
Bill Is Reported for Voting.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 15.—Following the attack on Ohio in the Cable Creek district, military officers here today fear additional disturbances and are holding militia attachments in readiness to be sent to the trouble zone at a moment's notice. The Military Commission, which is to try 128 strikers on charges of rioting, will hold its first session Monday. Many of the prisoners, it is thought, will be discharged on account of lack of evidence.

Company A of the First regiment, is still encamped on the capital grounds, and several machine guns are placed in readiness for service. Eight companies are at present on active service in the Cabin and Paint Creek districts.

Rotter Serves Notice.
Dumping of Garbage on Island in
Yough Must Cease.

Health Officer B. Rotter has posted notices in the vicinity of the Island, in the Yough river, warning farmers against dumping garbage in that vicinity.

The practice of drivers and others of dumping all kinds of refuse and rubbish near the island has grown to such an extent that members of the Board of Health fear that the health of those residing in that neighborhood may be affected, and they have decided that it must be stopped.

Anyone found violating the order will be dealt with summarily.

Vanderbilt Man Is Held.
Steve Kennedy of Vanderbilt was committed to jail today by Justice McLaughlin of that place on a statutory charge. He was later released on bail given before Squire Boyle of Uniontown.

Using Gas Coal.
Western Maryland locomotives are now burning gas coal.

**BLOOD TESTS MADE
TO TRACE CAUSE OF
FEVER CASES HERE****Samples From Veins of Dairy
Employees Are Taken by
State Officer.****SIEBERT CONCLUDES HIS WORK****Is Called Suddenly to Pittsburgh and
Will Not Return Although Asses-
ment Has Some Matters Yet to be In-
vestigated; Looking For the Germ.**

S. L. Siebert, of the State Department of Health, who has been in Connellsville a week investigating the prevalence of typhoid here, returned hurriedly to his home in Pittsburgh last night upon the receipt of news of the critical illness of his grandmother. She is 92 years old and her death, as the result of ailments attending her advanced years, is momentarily expected.

Mr. Siebert had virtually completed his investigations and he does not expect to return to Connellsville. A few details which require attention before his report is complete will be looked after by Mr. Siebert's assistant, D. J. Marshall, of New Castle, who will remain in town until Tuesday or Wednesday.

Specimens of milk obtained at dairies here and water taken from the town's water supply together with samples of blood extracted from some of the employees of dairymen were sent by Mr. Siebert to the laboratory at Harrisburg for analysis.

The blood was taken in small quantities from the wrists of those working about some of the dairies and will be analyzed for traces of typhoid germs. In some cases the health officer had found that persons handling milk have had the germ in their system, although they themselves may not have been affected with the disease for several years and the malady which has lain dormant is thus passed on to others with whom the person comes in contact.

While a thorough test of the milk and water supplies has not been made, Mr. Siebert is satisfied that the root of the trouble lies with the dairymen. However, he is not prepared to make this statement positive at present. The analysis will determine the truth of the theory.

Whether the results of his findings will be made public, Mr. Siebert was not prepared to say last night. He said his report will be placed in the hands of his superiors, and they will pursue whatever course they deem proper. Nevertheless, he is of the opinion that the source of the disease has been found and remedies, and that Connellsville will not be affected again with as many cases of typhoid fever as were reported during the month of January.

TWO GIRLS ARE SENTENCED**They are Given 72 Hours in Lockup
for Street Walking.**

After spending the night as prisoners locked up in the women's department of City Jail, two young girls, neither of whom was more than 16 years old, were arraigned before Justice J. L. Evans this morning on the charge of street walking. The girls were arrested last evening by Chief of Police Hetzel, who testified that he had seen them approach young men on the street.

The girls gave the names of Jessie Lidebottom of Main street, and Marie Lide of Meadow lane. They were fined \$5, and in default were sentenced to serve 72 hours in the lockup. Burgess Evans expressed the opinion that they should be sent away to a reform school.

FOX HUNTERS ARE FOILED.**Chase Ends Prematurely When Mr.
Hendard Breaks Neck.**

A fox hunt out of Masontown yesterday ended with the death of the fox in an unusual manner. About 150 men and a large number of hounds started in pursuit.

The riders came to a halt about a mile from Masontown and found the dogs gathered around a tree. In the huge branches that touched the ground the frightened quarry was found. Joseph David attempted to shake the fox to the ground. The fox fell and a broken neck caused almost instant death. The hunters returned to Masontown in disgust.

MAY BUILD STEEL PLANT.**Leetonia Furnaces Will be Blown in
Shortly, It Is Said.**

Grafton blast furnaces at Leetonia, O., are expected to blow in the immediate future. They have been idle for the past three years, and, according to reports, a project is on foot to build an adjoining ground a steel plant, which will utilize the hot metal from these furnaces for open hearth steel production.

M. D. McKee, the principal owner of the furnaces, is reported to have admitted that improvements in the shape of a steel plant are possible.

Coke Company Is Sued.
A. C. Fitch has entered suit against the Elco-Connellsville Coke Company to recover \$10,000 damages for injuries sustained in the mines. Negligence is charged.

Veteran Stock Raiser Dead.
Adam Welt, 80 years old, a pioneer stock raiser of Washington county, is dead at his home in Vanceville.

SOCIETY.

A Birthday Party.
In honor of the 14th birthday of Donald Kurtz, son of Postmaster and Mrs. A. E. Kurtz, the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kurtz, parents of Postmaster Kurtz, assembled at their residence on West Church place Thursday to celebrate the occasion. Mrs. Henry Kurtz has been confined to her home since last July with injuries suffered from a fall, and for this reason the celebration was held at her home. She is slowly regaining her health and is now able to walk about the house without the aid of a cane. Those present in addition to the children and grandchildren were Edgar Knox, a brother of Mrs. Kurtz, and family, Miss Ella Kurtz, Mrs. Worth Kilpatrick and Mrs. Caroline Stillwagon, sisters of Mrs. Kurtz. Mandolin and guitar solos were rendered and demonstrations of enlivening and reflecting post cards on a screen were shown by an electric enlarger built by Donald Kurtz, the honor guest. Luncheon was served by the daughters-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Kurtz.

W. O. T. U. Meeting.
The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held Wednesday afternoon in the Carnegie library. A large attendance is desired.

Misses' Musical Piques Club.
Largely attended was a meeting of the Misses' Musical Piques Club and Junior Girls' Mission Band of the First Presbyterian Church held yesterday afternoon at the home of Misses' Piques on Isabella road. Mrs. D. K. O'Leary was leader. "China" was the subject for discussion. Mrs. E. E. Markert was present and gave an interesting talk, after which the following musical program arranged by the girls was rendered: Vocal solos, Mary Belle Sherrick, Helen Adams and Mary Bell Smith; piano, duet, Elizabeth and Dorothy McChesney. Twenty-four were present. Delicate refreshments were served.

Special Services.
Special services conducted in the First Baptist Church by the pastor, the Rev. William Nelson, for the past two weeks came to a close last night. The meetings, which have been held and were very successful. New members will be received on Easter Sunday.

Banquet Postponed.
The banquet of the teachers and officers of the First Baptist Sunday School which was to have been held next Friday evening in the church, has been postponed on account of the Martha Washington festival.

Panoramic Club.
The J. B. Panoramic Club was delightfully entertained last evening by Misses Fern and Marie at their home on East Main street. A dainty luncheon was served.

Mid Society Meets.
The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist Church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Davis on Madison avenue. There was a large attendance. On Friday afternoon the society will hold a Martha Washington tea at the home of Mrs. James Newman, on West Fourth street. During the social will be a turning of chairs. A vocal solo by James Newman, a vocal solo by Miss Madeline Graft and piano solos by Miss Sue Stahl were included in the program. Refreshments were served. Valentine Party.

Miss Olive DeVoe entertained the Bachelor Girls' Club at a Valentine party last evening at her home on Madison avenue. The party was given in the presence of about twenty of her friends. Valentine appointments were carried out in decorative and in the luncheon. Hearts were profusely used. Various amusements were provided and at a late hour a dainty luncheon was served.

Engagement Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Koontz of Pittsburgh have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Martha Schaefer to Adam Koel of Connelville, Hilliard-Ashlin.

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Mrs. Edna Hilliard of Morgantown, W. Va., and J. A. Ashton, formerly of that city. Mrs. Hilliard formerly resided in Connelville where she has many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ashton will reside at Point Marion.

Interest in Library Branch.
Seventy-nine books were circulated yesterday afternoon at the Carnegie Free Library Branch station in the Fourth street building, West Side. Great interest is being displayed by the West Side residents in the station.

Bridge Luncheon.
Mrs. C. L. Leyde of Tarentum, the guest of Mrs. J. W. Goldsmith, was honor guest at a dainty luncheon at which Mrs. Samuel R. Goldsmith was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home in South Pittsburgh street. The affair was marked by unusually pretty decorations. A color scheme of lavender and pink was carried out in a most effective manner. Adorning the center of the table was a brass basket of lilacs and sweet peas. The favors were gift baskets of sweet peas. Three tables were called into play for bridge. Mrs. A. A. Strub was caterer and had charge of the decorations.

Guests at Hall Party.
Mrs. William Dull and Miss Mary Lou Dull and Mrs. J. Melvin Grey are guests at a bridge party at which Mrs. Ellsworth Hess is hostess this afternoon at her home in Uniontown.

Entertained for Daughter.
In honor of the birthday of her daughter, Miss Jean, Mrs. G. W. Gallagher entertained about forty members of the younger social set last evening at her home on North Sixth street, West Side. The evening was enjoyably spent at various games and music. A well appointed luncheon was served. The out of town guests were Miss Agnes Robinson of Uniontown, guest of Miss Gallagher,



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James and Miss Catherine List and Harold Robinson of Uniontown.

Annual Banquet.
The third annual banquet and class reunion of the Sons of Zion Organized Bible Class No. 4,023, was held last evening at the Mount Zion Baptist Church in the West Side. Ninety members of the adult class were present and all wore the national emblem. The following program was rendered: Voluntary, Miss Inez Walker; song by the class; Scripture reading, Superintendent Johnson, song, by the class; address of welcome, R. W. Sanders; piano solo, Fred Walker; remarks, President J. C. Cunningham; tele. Mrs. Stubb, B. Latney and R. W. Sanders; address, B. S. Forester of Dawson, President of the Fayette County Sabbath School Association; solo, Mrs. A. Washington; quartette, Messrs. Sanders and Smith, Mrs. Smith and Doreen Latney; remarks by William F. Johnson; solo, Helen Miller. The officers are: President, J. C. Cunningham; Vice President, J. B. Rowe; Secretary, R. D. Flint; Treasurer, C. R. Martin; Treasurer, H. W. Sanders; Committeemen, George Sherman.

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Will Visit Switzerland.
Mrs. B. Rottler of Connelville and her sister, Mrs. Leah Carter, of Portland, Ore., will visit their old home in Switzerland next summer. They will be accompanied by one of Mrs. Rottler's two daughters, Leah or Alma, who have been spending the past two years at the Carter home in Portland.

Patron's Day in Township Schools.
Patron's Day was observed yesterday in all the township schools. Special work was prepared by the pupils and was neatly displayed. It was inspected by many friends at patrons of the schools and the pupils were complimented on their able work.

Farmers Hold Meeting.
The regular meeting of the Union Farmers Club of Fayette county is being held today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Freed in Dunker township. The meeting convened at 11 o'clock and will be in session all day.

Pennsylvanian Woman Has the Grip.
Mrs. Judson Richey, one of the most widely known residents of Pennsylvania, is confined to her home with grip.

Attended With Measles.
Charles Humphreys is confined to his home with an attack of measles.

DATE SET FOR CONTEST

Literary Societies in Dunker Township will meet on March 7.

The annual literary contest of the Presbyterian and Lutheran Literary societies of the Dunker township High School will be held Friday evening, March 7, at the High School building at Leeburg No. 1. The subject of the debate is "Resolved, That the United States Should Enter and Occupy Mexico." The contest between the two societies is one of the most important events in the history of the schools and the one this year is creating an unusual amount of interest. An exceptionally interesting program is being prepared.

The regular meeting of the Lutheran society was held yesterday afternoon. A musical and literary program was well rendered. The debate was "Resolved, That a Department of Athletics is a Good Thing in the High School." The judges' decision was in favor of the affirmative. The debaters were affirmative: Robert Jones and Roy Amley; negative: Albert Ogilthorpe and Jacob Foltz.

MEET AT THE BAPTIST HOME.
House Committee Decides to Hold No Special Visiting Day.

At a meeting of the House Committee of the Baptist Orphanage Home at West Newton, held Thursday at the Woman's Christian Temperance Association in Pittsburgh, it was decided to have no special visiting day as here before.

The home will be open at all times hereafter to visitors and friends of the inmates of the home. Among the members of the committee present were Mrs. A. DeLorme of McKeesport, Mr. O. R. Scott of Connelville and Joseph Dixon of Connelville.

Washington Birthday Party.
Prof. Jacques will give a Washington Birthday Party next Thursday night. Class as usual. Favors will be given to every one. One of the pleasing features of his dance Thursday night will be the teaching of the new Spanish dance "La Senora." This is the new dance that is so popular in Pittsburgh—Advertisement.

Y. M. C. A. Basketball.
The Independent basketball team of the Y. M. C. A. will play a Mount Pleasant quintet at the Y. M. C. A. next Saturday evening. The game scheduled this evening with McKeesport may be postponed. Manager Wetzel has not received word that the team is coming, and the game may be called off.

No Services at Scotland.
On account of the funeral services of Frank York of Morgan, killed in the White mines, there will be no German service at Scotland tomorrow afternoon.

IS AWARDED FULL CLAIM.
Jury Gives Dr. P. F. Smith \$2,688.75 for Loss of an Eye.

UNION TOWN, Feb. 15.—The jury in the suit of Dr. P. F. Smith against the Pidelity & Casualty Company of New York this morning returned a verdict of \$2,688.75 in favor of the plaintiff, the full claim with interest.

Dr. Smith sued for the loss of an eye, \$2,500 being allowed for such an injury under his policy. The company contended that the eye was diseased and its loss was due to that fact rather than to the injury he sustained.

Child Dies at Brownsville.
Ruth Agnes Davis, 7 years old, died Thursday at the home of her parents in Brownsville. The body was brought to Connelville this morning and removed by Funeral Director J. L. Stader to the Immaculate Conception Church for services. Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Davis and had been ill of pneumonia for nine days. Her parents are well known in Connelville.

Murdered-Be.
Miss Nellie Murdland, a teacher in the Lower Tyrone township schools, and Glen P. Hite, formerly of Scotland and now of Youngstown, O., were married, Thursday, in Greensburg by the Rev. Dr. Schall, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The bride is a daughter of Deputy Revenue Collector and Mrs. J. M. Murdland of Lower Tyrone township.

Hunting Bargains?
If so, read the advertising columns and you will find them.

A Step Up
comes naturally to the man who makes himself fit—

And perfect nourishment of brain and body along simple, natural lines is the sure way to makes one fit for advancement.

Grape-Nuts

made of whole wheat and barley, contains all the food elements of these great cereals, including the "vital phosphates" (grown in the grains) which Nature requires in building clear brains and bodies that have strength and endurance.

"There's a Reason." Read the famous little book, "The New Grape-Nuts," in pkgs. of Grape-Nuts.

PERSONAL.

Professor R. B. Smith and daughter are spending the day with friends at West Newton.

Miss Hazel Richter, trimmer in the millinery department of the Wright-Miller Company, left Thursday night for New York to assist Miss Harriet Ridgeway in buying spring and summer millinery. R. B. Evans, manager of the dry goods department, will leave tomorrow for New York.

A high class Spring suit for \$18 or \$20 that would cost you \$10 more, elsewhere. Dave Cohen, Tailor—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoop and son of California, Pa., William Hoop of McKeesport, John and Clarence Hoop of Beaver Falls were here yesterday for the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Grand Hoop. Clarence Hoop will remain over Sunday with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. John Hoop, Sr., of the widow.

Mr. Oscar Johnson of Uniontown, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Heman.

The last of our winter suits, Monday, Feb. 11, will be on hand. Miss Eleanor Marshall is home from a several weeks' sojourn at Atlantic City.

Today at noon there was a slight improvement in the condition of Mrs. H. J. Coll who is seriously ill of pneumonia at her home on West Apple street.

Mrs. L. V. Marshall is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Beall of near Denora.

Miss Jane Ray of Greenwood, is in Pittsburgh today.

Persepolis to be sold Monday, 17th, regardless of cost. See Dunn's ad—Adv.

The condition of A. T. Tarr, who is ill at his home on Seventh street, West Side, will continue to improve.

Cards have been received here from Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Downs who are now in St. Petersburg, Fla. They make quite a number of Connelville persons who are sojourning at St. Petersburg.

Miss Elizabeth Smith of Dawson, was the guest of Mrs. Mary Ober of Uniontown yesterday.

Miss Mary May of Kayser, Pa., is here on a visit to friends.

Mrs. Thomas Connell and children of McKeesport, are the guests of the former's sisters, the Messrs. Reynolds of the South Side.

Watch for the opening chapters of "The Flying Man."

Wetzel has not received word that the team is coming, and the game may be called off.

C. F. Miller of Annabel, W. Va., was the guest of Superintendent and Mrs. F. L. Russell of Perryopolis, was in town yesterday on business.

Paul Wagner of the West Side, is home from a visit to West Newton.

John Powell of Whitsett was in town yesterday.

Mrs. E. G. Smith of Silesville, and Mrs. W. J. Day of Dubuque, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Edward Har of East Main street.



Weak Sickly Ailing Women

What more can we do to convince you that you positively can find perfect health and relief from your suffering by using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? All the world knows of the wonderful cures which have been made by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, yet some women do not yet realize that all that is claimed for it is true.

If suffering women could be made to believe that this grand old medicine will do all that is claimed for it, how quickly their suffering would end!

We have published in the newspapers of the United States more genuine testimonial letters than have ever been published in the interest of any other medicine for women in the world—and every year we publish many new testimonials, all genuine and true.

Read What These Women Say!

Bluffton, Ohio.—"I wish to thank you for the good I derived from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound sometime ago. I suffered each month such agony that I could scarcely endure, and after taking three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was entirely cured."

"Then I had an attack of organic inflammation and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I am cured. I thank you for what your remedies have done for me and should anything bother me again, I shall use it again, for I have great faith in your remedies. You may use my testimonial and welcome. I tell every one what your remedies have done for me."—Mrs. Rhoda Winkler, Box 305, Bluffton, Ohio.

Pontwater, Mich.—"A year ago I was very weak and the doctor said I had a serious displacement. I had backache and bearing down pains so bad that I could not sit in a chair or walk across the floor and I was in severe pain all the time. I felt discouraged as I had taken everything I could think of and was no better. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now I am strong and healthy."—Mrs. Alice Darling, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 77, Pontwater, Mich.

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ailments. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health.

Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



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of broken sizes, that we wish to clean up before the arrival of our spring stock.

One lot of ladies' Shoes in dull and patent leather, in button and lace patterns, mostly small sizes and narrow widths, formerly \$3 and \$3.50.

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News From Nearby Towns.

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Feb. 15.—Andy Glover of Outcrop, was a business visitor on Thursday.

Rev. W. M. Ryan and R. S. Burchinal were Uniontown visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Dunn was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Lynch at Fairbank on Thursday and Friday.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold their annual bazaar in the Town Hall, February 22.

E. L. McKnight, W. W. Wiley, Pittsburgh; P. C. Fletcher, Edward Burke, Republic; S. R. Martin, F. W. Newhall, Ralph Brehm, E. H. Wheelock, Uniontown; Albert Scherwin, Fredrick, N. Y., were recent arrivals at the Smithfield House.

Joseph S. Hilde of Woodside was a business caller in town on Thursday.

Miss Lillian Weaver of Weavertown, was calling on friends in town on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoon, a young married couple living out the Morgantown Road, just out of the borough limits, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends and neighbors on the arrival at their home on Wednesday evening, February 12, of two little cherubs—twin boys.

Mr. Hoon is a Baltimore & Ohio fireman and he is wearing a smile as broad and as bright as the highlight on his engine.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of an invitation from the principal of Brown school No. 3 in Laurens township, to attend Patrons' Day at that school.

Alf O'Neil of Uniontown, was calling on his trade here, Friday.

The whooping cough is prevalent in the community. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller's three children have the malady.

SMITHFIELD, Feb. 14.—J. L. Giffen of the Taylor & Saylor Coke Company of Somerset county was in town Wednesday.

The company has options on an extensive tract of coal in Preston county, W. Va., near Bruceton. Included in the tract is 350 acres of the Armstrong heirs.

The business of J. E. Giffen and Frank Taylor of Steyerstown, was to get the options of R. G. Benson and wife who are heirs to the Armstrong place. The coal is estimated at 350,000 tons.

J. Calvin Gyna, a notary of Carmichaels was here Wednesday serving notices on the above named heirs of condemnation proceedings. The would be commenced by the West Virginia Development Company in the Preston county courts.

D. M. Summers of Morgantown, W. Va., was a business visitor here Wednesday.

C. B. and Samuel Jackson are in Brownsville attending the funeral of Mrs. Mary C. Jackson, their cousin, which occurred there today.

The latest report to the friends here is that Mrs. G. A. Feather is improving at the Mercy hospital after a serious operation.

Ernest Young of Point Marion, was in the borough Wednesday in the interest of the Star Gas Company.

Mrs. Elizabeth Huhn attended the funeral of Grant Huhn at the Lutheran Church in Nicholson township today.

The Penn Coke Company, among other property that they own here, will sell the old George Creek Academy on February 27.

Grant Huhn died at his home at Meersboro works Monday, the 10th inst. and will be buried at the Lutheran Cemetery near his home Wednesday. The widow and four children survive. A number of his relatives live in Smithfield and attended the funeral.

James Matthews moved Wednesday from the Hanks house on Church street to his new home on East Main street.

J. H. Hale rode over the mountain from Bruceton, W. Va., a horseback Wednesday morning, arriving here in time to meet a party of 10 at the M. train to where he delivered some papers for acknowledgment before a magistrate here. Considering the weather conditions that prevailed that morning 2 degrees above zero, a cold north wind and snowing, it was a record ride. He met the parties on schedule time, transacting the business and was ready to return before 10 A. M. The distance is 18 miles.

Recent arrivals at Bartons were: J. B. Wilson, Thomas A. Rocky, E. C. Graham and Zella Gray, Uniontown; R. W. Johnson, Holt, Maryland; C. D. Brown, Pittsburgh; E. S. Falkner, C. E. Price, Morgantown; Matthew Woodward, Mount Royal; W. F. Brickman, Conneville; P. Mitchell, Boylston, N. J.; J. Benwell, Russell Gray, G. C. Barclay, Carmichaels, Pa.; R. C. Allison, Denver, Colo.; J. E. McGoneigh, Baltimore.

Arthur Grannell has secured a job at the power dam at Cheat Haven running a ditty.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fleming Field on Sunday, Feb. 9, a son.

Miss Margaret Showalter is laid up with sickness.

Aaron Dooley of Nicholson township, was a Uniontown business visitor Monday. He stopped over night here with his son C. O. Dooley.

DICKERSON RUN.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 14.—George Livergood was a business caller in Pittsburgh on Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah Evans and daughter, Miss Jessie, were shopping and calling on Conneville friends yesterday afternoon.

Frank Newell of Conneville, was a business caller here on Thursday afternoon.

Paul Nemon and Elaine Haller were business callers at McKeesport recently.

Samuel Addis was transacting business at Conneville yesterday.

J. W. Beatty of Cumberland, was here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Beatty on Maple street, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lane of Beun Vista, were calling on friends here Thursday afternoon.

William Alt of Conneville, was a business caller here Wednesday evening.

Corbett Myers has returned to his work at Glassport, after a very pleasant visit here with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Myers.

OHIOVILLE.

OHIOVILLE, Feb. 15.—A very pleasing program was rendered at the Patrons' Day exercises, Friday afternoon. The teachers of the school are George Morrison, Principal; Mrs. Mary Cunningham, No. 2, and Miss Lena Mitchell, No. 1. The program ran as follows:

Song, "America," by the school; recitation, by Beryl Stark; exercise, "A Statue of Washington," by Charlotte Corristan; Viola Stuck, Irene Williams and Whona Welch; exercise, "Our Flag," by Flora Cunningham and Daisy McClain; recitation, John Wolfe; solo, "Where the River Shannon Flows," by Miss Josephine Kney; recitation, Marie Holt; exercise, "Red, White and Blue," by Ruby Gifford; Thelma Rush and Violet Tate; recitation, Rachel Burke; recitation, Gertrude Mitchell; solo, Miss Holt; recitation, Kenneth Shaw; recitation, Hazel Shipley; melody, by Ray Wolfe, Ross Cunningham, Stanton Collins and Clyde Ringor; paper, by Gertrude Sipe; recitation, Freda Bender; exercise, "No Washington," by Ross Rock, Walter Seese, Glen Harshberger, Benford Cunningham, Harry Wolfe and Roy Potter; recitation, Esther Lowry; prophecy, Gwendolyn Holt; recitation, Noah Sibatagh; Gattysburg Speech, by Lawrence Burke; recitation, Lily Wiltrout; exercise, "A Beginning," by Mildred Cunningham and Dorothy Day; exercise, "George Washington," by Hugh Rafferty, James Holt, Walter Welch, Robert Corristan; solo, Miss Ellen Jackson; debate, "Resolved that Women should have the right of Suffrage," affirmative, Verna Cunningham, negative, Walter Chuck; talk, by E. S. Jackson, M. Rafter and Prof. Morrison.

The teachers and scholars should have a great credit for the way in which they had the program arranged. The following visitors were present: Mrs. Hamilton and children, Mrs. P. Morrison, Mrs. J. W. Chuck and daughter, Bertha, Mrs. William Holt, Mrs. H. C. Jones, Mrs. I. F. Woodmancy, Mrs. Judson Wolfe and daughter, Mrs. McClain, Mrs. M. Hochstetler and two children, Mrs. Robert Holt, Mr. and Mrs. George Harshberger and daughter, Mildred, Mrs. William Corristan, Mrs. Harry Holt, Mrs. Charles Cunningham, Mrs. Anna Collins, Mrs. George Jackson, Mrs. Burdette, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson, Mrs. D. Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Collins, J. D. Foster, E. M. Cunningham, Dr. H. J. Brady, M. Rafter, Misses Ellen and Alice Jackson, May Rafferty, Anna and Lily Nicholson, Eliza Shaw, Lucy Linderman, Ethel Morrison, Pearl Holt and Jessie Potter.

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Mrs. Harry Marietta and Mrs. T. C. Marietta spent Friday calling on Conneville friends.

Charles Gifford was a Conneville business caller on Friday.

Paul McDonald, an electrician of Conneville, spent Friday wiring the house of Robert Holt on Main street.

Mrs. A. J. Colborn and daughter, Edith and Lolla went to Scottdale Friday morning to attend the funeral of the former's niece.

A very delightful birthday party was given at Milton Hostettler's Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Hostettler's birthday. Those present were: Mrs. H. C. Jones, Mrs. A. J. Colborn, Mrs. C. D. Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Odert, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Corristan, Misses Helen Jones, Mildred and Robert Bailey, Mrs. C. D. Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Odert, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Corristan, Misses Helen Jones, Mildred and Robert Bailey.

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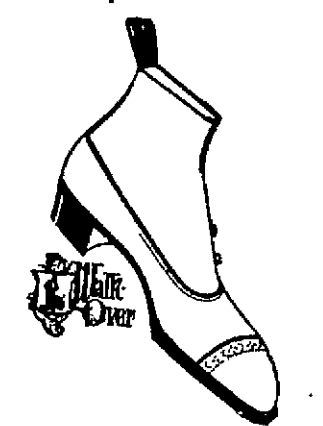
\$2.95 MEN'S SHOE SALE \$2.95

Began Friday, February 14, and Continues for 10 Days.

THREE SALES IN ONE

We are going to put on a sale of THREE of the best offers we have ever offered our customers. The Pilot Shoes, The Burt & Packard's and the Walk-Overs—one line the Best Work Shoes made in America today and the other two well-known old reliable lines for dress wear or heavy street wear. These Shoes sell at \$3.50 and some of the Walk-Overs were \$4.00 formerly. Good honest shoemaking and new, clean cut styles.

SIX STYLES OF Walk-Over Shoes \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes, at \$2.95



We will include during this 10-day clean-up sale, 3 styles of Walk-Over Shoes. Three are tan, and three styles are black; button and lace; double soles, and vulcanized. These offers in shoes for the next 10 days is an opportunity the men don't get every day. Don't put it off too long—Be first—One price for all.

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Smoked Horse, Trostles Krom, Black Bear Skin, Brown Polar.

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206 Sixth Street,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Here is another proof where it pays to buy from your home merchants.

The ad. advertising the Pilot Shoe at \$3.40, by W. E. & F. Johnson, shows conclusively that you pay more for shoes in Pittsburgh than here in Conneville.

Down's Shoe Store have purchased these same

shoes in all leathers, and styles, and will sell this \$3.40 shoe for the next ten days at

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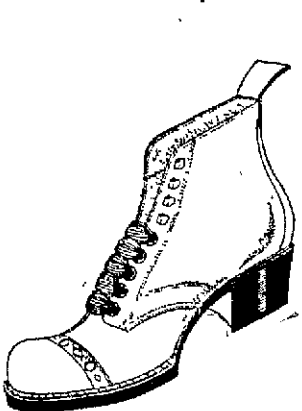
A saving of 45c on every pair of Pilot Shoes. Will it pay you to buy shoes from them?

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CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Burt & Packard Shoes at \$2.95



We still have a number of pairs left yet of Burt & Packard Shoes. This is our last time to put these shoes on sale again this season.

Tan Russia, Tan Lotus, Tan Oil Grain, Black Gun Metal Calf, Black Oil Grain, Blucher and Button, The Final Cleanup \$2.95

Pilot Shoes, Burt & Packard, Walk-Over.

POINT MARION.

POINT MARION, Feb. 11.—O. A. Tribner of Cleveland, O., was in Point Marion transacting business.

Rev. Pauckenstein of West Virginia, has been assisting Rev. C. L. Queen of the Methodist Protestant church with revival meetings, now being held in that church.

J. R. Gray of Uniontown was a business caller here this week.

E. C. Kennedy of Pittsburgh, an insurance inspector, was here transacting business for a few days.

Mrs. John Hurd of this place, who has been sick for a few days, is reported not so well.

Mrs. Mary A. Mapel of Dunkard, widow of William Mapel, died at her home, Thursday evening.

She had many relatives and friends in and about Point Marion. She is the mother of seven children. Two of which, and the following live still survive her.

J. N. Lucas of Morgantown, W. Va.; Miss Charles Conn of Haverhill, N. H.; Mrs. A. J. Colborn, and W. T. Mapel, with whom she lived.

John Hurd and daughter, Nell, who have been at Morgantown for a few days, were called home on account of the illness of Mrs. Hurd.

J. H. Crosby of Pittsburgh, who is stopping at the Central Hotel, was transacting business here this week.

S. R. Vilbert of Hollidaysburg, Pa., was a business caller here this week.

John Wallace, W. B. Condy and Edward Nagerman of New Jersey, are here to fill their new positions as glass blowers in the Monongahela Glass factory of Point Marion.

E. S. Sudler of this place has been to Philadelphia for a few days attending the Hardware Convention, assembled there.

Julius J. Quentmont and A. S. Mapel have purchased the Window Glass factory of Point Marion, which they expect to operate in about five weeks.

J. Quentmont and Company has purchased the well-known steamboat the Greeno county side, causing much excitement in the Monongahela and Cheat rivers in a few weeks.

B. G. Jacobs of Star City, W. Va., was a business caller here on Thursday.

On account of the sudden coldness, the Monongahela has become impassable making it very inconvenient for people of this place to cross over to the Greeno county side, causing much excitement in the Monongahela and Cheat rivers in a few weeks.

The Lady Macabees of this place are anticipating a good turnout to their meeting, Friday evening.

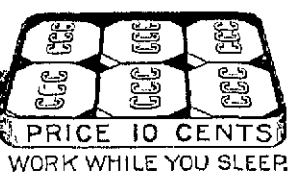
Paul Baker of Falling Timbers, who underwent a very critical operation at the City hospital, Morgantown, still survives.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, Feb. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ball, Mrs. Samuel Addis, Miss Eva Addis and daughter, Mrs. Harry Snyder were at the Cottage State hospital in Conneville yesterday to see Harry Snyder, who was injured in the wreck at Child's Square.

Squire E. E. McLaughlin and Postmaster E. P. Clifton were transacting

CONSTIPATED, BILIOUS, HEADACHY, LIVER TORPID?—CASCARETS SURE



CASCARETS WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP.

business in Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. D. C. Irwin of Pittsburgh, was here yesterday the guest of her mother, Mrs. Irwin of Pittsburgh.

W. A. Cogrovo was a Conneville business caller yesterday.

J. H. Honsaker of Uniontown, A. D. Wattle of Conneville and J. H. Kiefer of Smithton, were looking after business matters here yesterday.

Mary Nevada, McLaughlin was a recent Conneville caller.

Watch for the opening chapters of "The Flying Man."

DAWSON.

DAWSON, Feb. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brindlinger and son John, of Oread, Pa., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Brindlinger of Star Junction Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brindlinger have as their guests their granddaughter, Miss Katherine Kogler of Brownsville.

Miss Elizabeth Burns has returned home from a visit with friends at Star Junction.

Mrs. Mary Brindlinger spent Sunday with friends at Star Junction.

Henry McCarty of Conneville, was at Dawson Monday on business.

Miss Nanna McLaughlin is the guest of friends at Haver.

Louis and John Brindlinger were at Poryopolis Saturday on business.

"Two Quiet Bachelors." Last season the Dawson Fire Department presented "Oh You School Girls." This season they will present a new musical comedy entitled "Two Quiet Bachelors" at the Dawson Opera House, Monday Tuesday night, February 11 and 12. "Two Quiet Bachelors" is as funny as "Oh You School Girls" it will be satisfactory, as the latter comedy made a great hit, filling the Dawson Opera House three nights. There is already a big demand for seats so if you want good locations, secure them at once either by phone or mail at Queen's drug store, Dawson, or Fortner's drug store, Vanderbilt.—Adv.

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, Feb. 13.—F. N. Burns of Hopwood was a business caller in town.

Mrs. George Aspinwall was in Conneville today.

F. A. Kish of Pittsburgh, was a business caller in town.

Joseph Behard of Conneville, was one of today's business callers in town.

R. Campbell of West Newton, was a business caller in town today.

M. Pollock was in Greensburg today on business.

J. L. Paul and A. S. Hopper of Pittsburgh, were callers in town today.

E. L. Zentley of Uniontown, was a caller in town on Wednesday.

J. B. Knox was in Conneville today.

The Rev. Mr. Blair of the Christian church of Poryopolis, will preach in the Baptist church on Sunday at 7.30 P. M.

STAR JUNCTION, Feb. 15.—Joseph Fisher has returned home to this place after a short stay in Uniontown.

August D. Allen of Philadelphia, was a business caller in town yesterday.

A number of persons attended an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Duffy last night.

Servants in the Methodist Episcopal and Baptist churches tomorrow as follows: Methodist Episcopal Sunday School at 10 A. M.; preaching at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.; Rev. Dunkle, pastor. Baptist Sunday School at 2 P. M.; preaching at 3 P. M.; by the Rev. Hays, pastor. The Rev. M. S. Blair will preach in the Baptist church tomorrow evening at 7.30 P. M.

Theodore VanHorn was calling in Dawson last night.

F. W. Morehouse of Pittsburgh, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Joseph Carr was at Uniontown doing jury service this week.

M. L. Strawn was a business caller in town yesterday.

Thomas Hughes was in Brownsville yesterday.

REMODELING AND CLEARANCE SALE of Wall Paper, Paints, Etc.

The remodeling of the interior arrangements of my store room is well under way.

In the course of the alterations and the changing of the bins and shelving, we have gotten together a large quantity of one room and odd lots of papers which I wish to dispose of quickly, as all of the bins will be used for the new stock.

In addition there will be several other interesting features which will merit your attention.

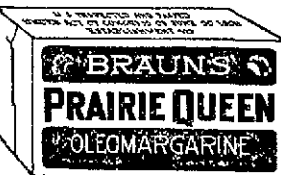
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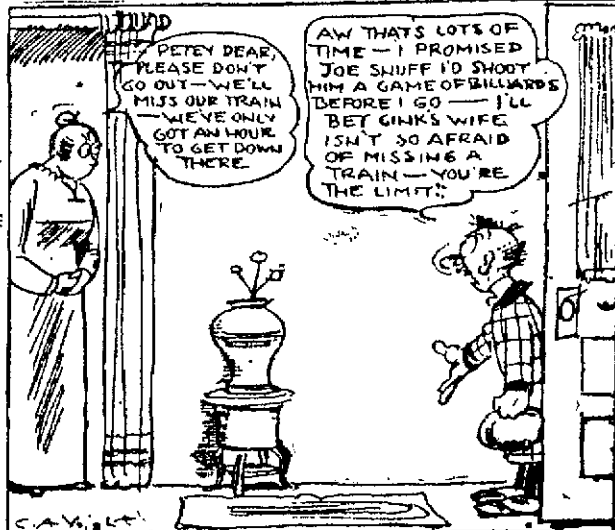
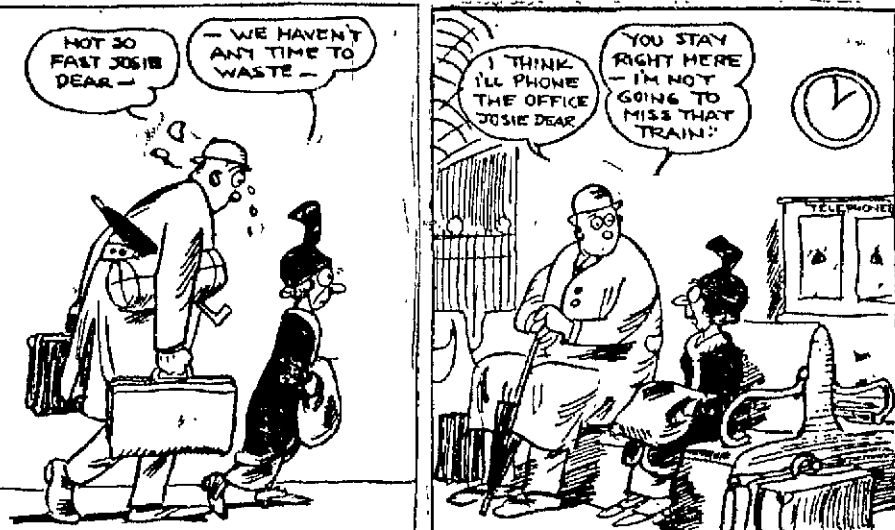
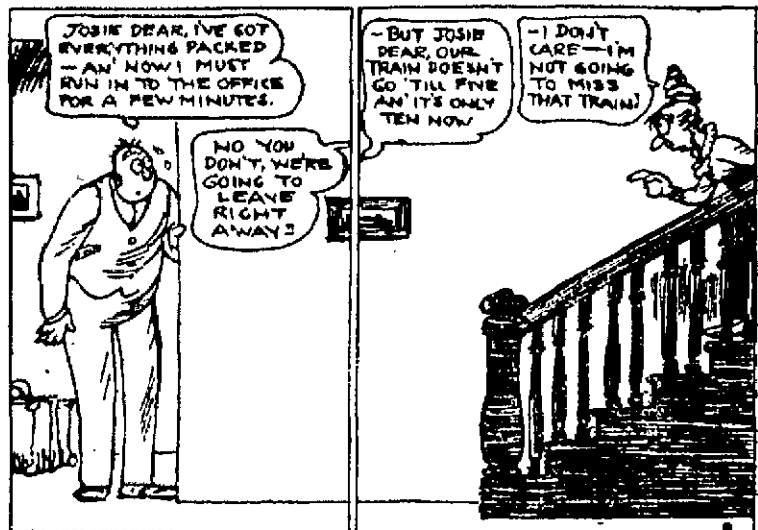
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By C. A. Voight.

GINK AND DINK—Mrs. Gin's Evidently Didn't Miss Her Train.



News from Somerset County Towns.

CONFLUENCE.

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SOMERSET LAMENTINGS

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Want State Rescue Car.
The miners of Ohio are urging that the Legislature appropriate \$10,000 to equip and maintain a miner's rescue car.

Sheriff's Sale.

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED property will be exposed to sale by Sheriff of Fayette County, Pa. on

Monday, March 5, 1913,

at 1 o'clock of the Court House in Uniontown, by virtue of the below stated writ, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pennsylvania:

Robinson & McLean, Attorneys.

No. 28 March Term, 1913, P. D. The National Glass Brick Company, vs. National Glass Brick Company, Inc. corporation, P. F. S. Judgment No. 118 March Term, 1913.

All the Right, title, interest and claim of the defendant corporation is and to all the plant and property now

County of Payette and State of Idaho, and the same is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot of ground situated in the Township of Salmon, County of Payette and State of Idaho, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the right-of-way of the O. & N. Short Line Railroad; thence along the right-of-way of said railroad to the intersection of the same with North 31° 47' West, 230 feet to the right of way on the Lebanon Branch of the O. & N. R. R.; thence in a Northerly direction, parallel to the right-of-way of said railroad, a distance of 108.2 feet to a point on the line of said right-of-way; thence along the right-of-way of said railroad to the right-of-way of the O. & N. Short Line Railway; thence along said right-of-way to the intersection of the same with South 55° 55' West, 621.2 feet to the right-of-way of the O. & N. Short Line Railway; thence along the right-of-way of said railroad to the intersection of the same with North 31° 47' West, 230 feet to the right-of-way of the O. & N. Short Line Railroad; thence along the right-of-way of said railroad to the point of beginning.

the following same premises conveyed to the National Glass Brick Company by Lloyd Johnston et al. and George Johnston et al. by deed dated May 22, 1907 and recorded in the Recorder's Office of Fayette County 12 Deed Book Vol. 271, Page 204.

The premises described in the above story frame factory building with its frame addition thereto, five one-ton overhead cranes, one glass brick warehouse, one glass brick office building and mould shop, one glass brick indurated dressing room, one glass brick indurated storage room, one glass brick glass brick water tank, also including a complete water works, with concrete foundation, one gas line and one gas pipe line and complete equipment for same.

As intended to include the entire contents of machinery and tools and

cutting both sides level and pressed
smooth, and the entire surface
sloped, entire width of cast-iron
moulds, two iron turning tables for
heating parts, moulds, and
equipment, 20 by 40 by 40 in.,
air compressor, 80 small cars and truck
equipment, one lath, one shaper, one
planer, one lathe, one mill, one
band saw and all other tools and
articles used in the business of manu-
facturing glass brick, and all other
articles and herein to include all
other such machinery, equipment, ap-
pliances, rights, privileges, franchises,
and all other such articles and in-
struments, and all other such articles
pany may acquire and obtain for use
in, about or in connection with its said
plant, subject to the lien of the
mortgage of the said trust company
dated, made and executed on or about
15, 1910, to secure an issue of \$200,000

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MART A. KIEFER, Sheriff

Notice of Appeals.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS
of the laws of this Commonwealth, the
Commissioners of the Superior Court, the
County of Gloucester, County of

Pennsylvania, give notice to the taxable inhabitants within the respective boroughs and townships of the said county, that the days of appeals for the triennial year of 1913, are as follows, to wit:

COURT OF APPEALS.

Georges Township and Fairhatche
Horseburg Township. Wednesday, Feb-
ruary 25, 1913, at Albion Hotel, Fairhatche, from 10
A. M. to 3 P. M.

Georges Township. Wednesday, Feb-
ruary 25, 1913, at McClellandtown, from
11 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Horseburg Township. Wednesday, Feb-
ruary 27, 1913, at Horseburg, from 10
A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Horseburg Township. Friday, February
28, 1913, at Davidson's Hall on
National Pike, from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock
P. M.

Warren Township. Monday, March
3rd, 1913, at Town Hall, from 10 A. M.
to 3 o'clock P. M.

Warren Township. Tuesday, March
4, 1913, at Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, Flat-
woods, from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Warren Township. Wednesday, March
5, 1913, in Perryopolis, from 10 A. M. to
3 o'clock P. M.

Warren Township. Thursday, March 6, 1913,
at Warren, from 1st, 2nd, 3rd and
4th wards, Thursday, March 6, 1913.

Uniontown, Pa., from 9 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.

North Union Township, Monday,
March 10, 1913, at Commissioners'
office, 10 o'clock P. M., from
9 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.
South Union Township, Tuesday,
March 11, 1913, at Commissioners'
office, 10 o'clock P. M., from
Court House, Uniontown, Pa., from
9 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.
North Union Township, Tuesday,
March 11, 1913, at Commissioners'
office, 10 o'clock P. M., from
414, 6th avenue, Wednesday, March 12,
1913, at Town Hall, Conneville, from
10 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.
North Union Township, Wednesday, March
13, 1913, at Commissioners' office,
10 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.
North Union Township, and Dunbar
Borough, Friday, March 14, 1913,
at Central Hotel, Dunbar, from 10 A. M. to
4 o'clock P. M.
North Union Township, Monday, March
17, 1913, at Pennville, Pa., from 10
A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.
North Union Township, Tuesday, March

Township, Tuesday, March 13, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M.
 Town, Tuesday, March 13, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M.
 Smithfield Borough, Wednesday, March 13, 1913, at Smithfield, from 10 A. M. to 11 o'clock P. M.
 Nicholson Township, Wednesday, March 13, 1913, at Audgeren's R. Road, from 10 A. M. to 11 o'clock P. M.
 Point Marion Borough, Thursday, March 14, 1913, at Point Marion Hotel, from 4 A. M. to 11 o'clock A. M.
 Point Marion Borough, Thursday, March 20, 1913, at Point Marion Hotel, from 12 M. to 3 o'clock P. M.
 Point Marion Borough, Thursday, March 20, 1913, at Morris N. Rousa, from 12 M. to 3 o'clock P. M.
 Point Marion Borough, Thursday, March 21, 1913, at Vanderbilt Hotel, from 4 A. M. to 11 o'clock A. M.
 Connelyville Borough, Wednesday, March 20, 1913, at Connelyville, West side at 11 o'clock A. M.
 Connelyville Borough, Thursday, March 21, 1913, at Connelyville, West side at 11 o'clock A. M.
 Connelyville Borough, Thursday, March 21, 1913, at Columbia Hotel, from 12 M. to 2 o'clock P. M.
 Connelyville Borough, Thursday, March 21, 1913, at Connelyville, West side at 11 o'clock A. M.

Connellsville Borough, Monday, March 27, 1913, at 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.
Davenport Borough and Lower Tyrone Township Tuesday, March 25, 1913, at 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.
Towansville Borough, from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M., Wednesday
Masontown Townships, Wednesday, March 27, 1913, at 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.
Masontown, Pa., from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Connellsville Borough and Washington Township, Thursday, March 27, 1913, at Town Hall, Fayette City, from 10 A. M. to 8 o'clock P. M.
Connellsville Borough and Masontown Township, Friday, March 28, 1913, at Hotel Kyle, Belle Vernon, Pa., from 11 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.
Lower Tyrone Township, Saturday, March 29, 1913, at Town Hall, Brownsville, Pa., from 10 A. M. to 12 M. o'clock


And SA WARD, Monday, March 31, 1936
 12 M. to 12 M. o'clock, Tuesday, April 1,
 1936, from 1 P. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.
 Wharton Township, Wednesday, April 2,
 1936, from 10 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. o'clock
 P. M.
 Henry Clay Township and Markleys
 Borough, Thursday, April 3, 1936
 from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 P. M.
 to 12 M. o'clock.
 Chongole Borough and Stewart Township,
 Friday, April 4, 1936, from 10 o'clock
 A. M. to 12 M. o'clock.
 Springfield Township, Monday, April 5,
 1936, from 7 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. o'clock
 P. M.
 Sallick Township, Tuesday, April 8,
 1936, from 7 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. o'clock.
 Persons who have money at interest
 will take notice that at that time there

The County levy was reported to the State Board of Equalization as follows: For dogs, \$1.00 charged by the State therewith and that no exonerations can then be allowed by the commissioners on monetary interest.

The County levy for 1933 is 5 mills (4 county and 1 round). Per State Board of Equalization, the levy for dogs is 50 cents each, on female dogs \$1.00 each. No exonerations will be allowed for dog tags except on the following conditions: persons claiming such exonerations procure a certificate from the assessor of the district recommending the exonerations. No exonerations will be allowed to exonerate any person or persons from the dog tag except by a certificate from the County Commissioners.

JOHN S. LANGLEY,
E. H. MCCLELLAND,
County Commissioners.

Attest:—
ROBERT POWELL, Clerk.
All taxables are hereby notified to
pay especial attention to dates and
hours of appeals.



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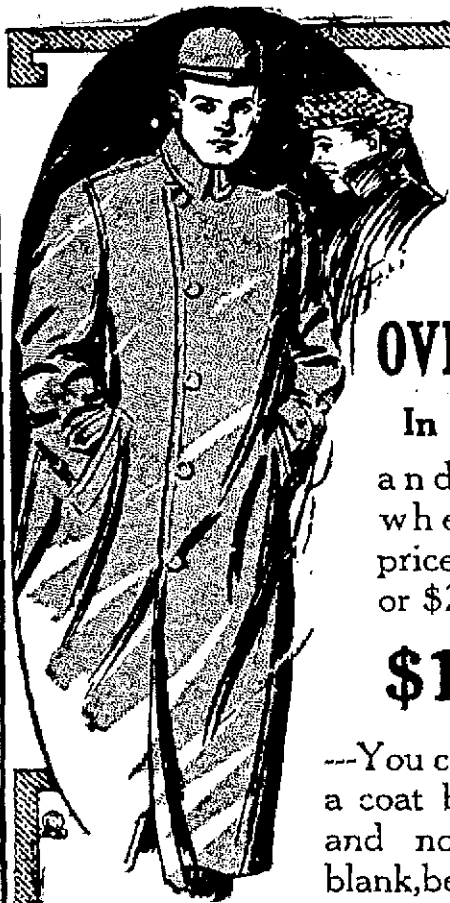
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--You could choose a coat blind-folded and not draw a blank, because there is not a garment in stock that doesn't belong to the 100 per cent style and efficiency class. You'll find a great many of the coats wearing labels identical with those on the suits--absolute proof that they are coats of the highest style-class.

ALL OVERCOATS under \$18, regular \$16.50 and \$15 ones are in this sale at

\$10 Each

(Men's Clothing Store)

FACTS Men Can't Get Away From

Clothes may not make the man, but they go a long way towards his chance to make good. Be as brainy as it's within your power to be, dress well, and you'll be sized-up to occupy higher rounds on the Big Ladder, than the man who is careless of his looks.

Clothes are the shell of the man inside them. If suit and overcoat are level with the times it's a safe bet that the man who wears them is on the same level, or crowding it hard.

A multi-millionaire can dress as slouchy as he likes, but we who are just starting our first million can't afford to take equal chances.

We all feel a little envious towards the neatly-dressed man, and usually take a second glance at his joyous apparel.

—and sometimes think we'd like to get a little of that envy sprinkled over ourselves: Yet do no more than think, although if the crust was broken this answer would be—new clothes that fit well.

You, yourself judge, to some extent, a man by his clothes.

If people judge you the same way—and it's dollars to doughnuts that some of them do—a dictionary full of argument won't get you a look-in, if you don't LOOK GOOD.

—Besides all this is the pleasure and lasting satisfaction a good suit or overcoat gives.

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The Stage and The Players.



A Scene From "The Rose Maid."

AT THE THEATRES.

THE SOISSON.

"THE ROSE MAID."
In the hotel scene at Ostend, portrayed in the second act of Wopha & Luescher's great musical success, "The Rose Maid," realism is said to run riot. Life in a modern fashionable hotel has been portrayed with much faithful detail. The setting

shows the lower floors of a 16 story hotel at the height of its busy season. On the lawn before the hostelry are numerous tables about which are seated elegantly gowned ladies and aristocratic gentlemen. All during the opening of the act these are being served by attentive waiters, flower girls and "bus" boys. Real food and drink is set on the tables while the gay music graphically suggests a merry party at dinner. This scene supplants the old time opening chorus number and is only one of the many episodes in "The Rose Maid" that has helped to make this sister

opera to "The Spring Maid" a distinct novelty. "The Rose Maid" is announced to appear at the Soisson Theatre, Tuesday, Feb. 18.
GET-RICH-QUICK WALLINGFORD
"What a fool an honest man is for being a crook." This speech delivered by the promoter of shady financial deals near the finish of the fourth act of "Get Rich Quick Wallingford," furnishes the key to the plot of this exceedingly busy play and gives, better than any other line in this breezy comedy, the idea which George M. Cohan undoubtedly had in mind when he made over the "Wallingford" into for the stage. "Get Rich Quick Wal-

lingford" will be the offering at the Soisson Theatre Thursday, February 20. It is, if the dictum of many theatre-goers is to be accepted, the liveliest of the many brisk plays George M. Cohan has offered to the amusement world. It is a play with what has been called an uplift motif and, while it is far removed from that class of stage offerings described as preachy, points a moral most obvious.

SOMERSET.

SOMERSET, Feb. 16.—Miss Zapha Beck and Miss Edna Wolfenberger of Rockwood, who have been the guests of Miss Edna Adams on the East Side, have returned home.

Russel O. Moore returned this week from Ohio Northern University, where he has completed the scientific and philosophical courses.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Hostetler of Confluence, who had been visiting the farmers' mother, Mrs. William M. Hostetler, on the South Side, have returned home.

Miss Madie Critchfield of Johnstown was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Zimmerman.

Dr. Fred E. Shaffer and Attorney W. Curtis Truxal entertained the Monday night club at a banquet at the Hotel Vannoy.

Ex-Assenblyman William H. Floto of Meyersdale was among the business visitors in town yesterday.

Mrs. Julia Uhl, wife of Attorney John E. Uhl, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident two months ago, is slowly recuperating.

Judge and Mrs. William H. Ruppel entertained at dinner yesterday for Judge A. W. Williams of Mercer county.

Mrs. Clara Rush of Rockwood, W. Va., is visiting Somerset relatives.

Soisson Theatre, An Easter Seashore Trip

Tuesday, Feb. 18

THE ROSE MAID

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See the Dutch Kiddies and the Rosebud Garden of Girls—Each Girl a Fashion Plate.

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Seat sale opens Saturday morning at Theatre.

Pittsburg and Baltimore, is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Conroy, on the East Side.

Samuel Lyon of Mt. Pleasant has opened a pool and billiard room in the basement of the Shaffer block.

James B. Holderbaum, Paul A. Schell, John I. Holderbaum and Elmer E. Pyle attended the State convention of hardware dealers in Pittsburg.

If you have anything for sale advertise it in our classified column.

Soisson Theatre, An Easter Seashore Trip

The Easter Season is one of the most delightful of the year at the seashore. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will have a low rate sixteen-day excursion, leaving Pittsburg, Oil City, Altoona, and other points on Thursday, March 20. Tickets will be sold to Atlantic City, Cape May, Wildwood, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Anglen, or Holly Beach, N. J., good going on all regular trains on that date, and good returning on regular trains until April 4, inclusive. Special through train of Pullman parlor cars and standard day coaches will be run from Pittsburg to Atlantic City. Dining car service will be provided or stops for meals will be made. Passengers may stop-over at Philadelphia on the return trip if tickets are deposited with Ticket Agent in Philadelphia, affording a fine opportunity of visiting New York City. Oliver T. Boyd, District Passenger Agent, Oliver Building, Sixth Avenue and Smithfield Street, or any Pennsylvania Railroad Ticket Agent will be glad to give you full information.

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